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PETER MISKECH et al.

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MAKING A VEHICLE BED ASSEMBLY

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Hilary,

Per my voice mail message attached is a proposed amendment after final for claim 1 in the case referenced above. Please advise whether you would be willing to enter the amendment as placing the case in condition for allowance.

Please do not hesitate to call me if you have any questions (248-226-2824).

Thanks again,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Matt".